

## MARRIAGES, DEATHS, ETC.

## Born.

To Mr and Mrs J J Wallace, Cisco, December 1882, an heir.  
Mrs. Judge L L Woods of Sherman, recently, a son.

## Marriage Licenses.

WOOD COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.  
J H Duke and Miss Mattie Marler.  
H M Tittle and Miss A J Brack.  
Frank Cage and Mrs. A R Erwin.  
H Z Duke and Miss Fannie Goodson.

A M Ellis and Miss Elizabeth Lee.  
W F Graves and Miss Thurza J Chapman.

William Edwards and Miss Fannie Green.  
J H McAllister and Miss Julia Duke.  
J W Cannon and Miss Adelia Gamblin.

D N S Power and Miss M E Graves.  
J F McDaniel and Miss Mary E Patten.

W B Brewer and Mrs. L V Walker.  
Robert N Stafford and Miss Louella Read.

Richard P Giles and Miss Louisa Read.

J Y Daniel and Miss Martha Robbins.

Joseph McCuystin and Miss N E Chapman.

K A Dandy and Miss E S Harris.

W A Moody and Miss Irene Shipp.

Henry Race and Miss Babe Dart (colored).

Clay Johnson and Miss Eddy Walton (colored).

John L Ivey and Miss Susan Mosley (colored).

Charles Rainwater and Miss D A E Smith.

J H Chappell and Miss Jennie C Carter.

J M Boyd and Miss N N Brown.

Ben Richards and Miss Amy Jobe (colored).

J B Storm and Miss Georgia Vickers.

A D Swink and Miss Mary McCombs.

W R Jordan and Miss M C Harris.

J B Jones and Miss Jennie Bounsville.

A J Elliott and Miss S A Beavers.

J C Lamberton and Miss F L Johnson.

W P Hughes and Miss M J Puckett.

J L Ray and Mrs Sarah T Powell.

HOUSTON COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

K D Lawrence and Henrietta Murphison.

Lewis Brown and Eliza Wooster.

A W Phillips and M E Berry.

W N Allie and Martha Boggs.

Burton Strong and Caroline Berry.

P B Beard and Alida Brent.

Jackson Thomas and Sarah Saddler.

Julius Bailey and Jane McCowen.

Elisha Banks and Vickey Scott.

Jo Walls and Elizabeth Smith.

George Washington and Mary Jones.

John G Johnson and Allie Ross.

Alex Thompson and Addie Ellis.

N Lakey and Maggie Miller.

Mac Stubblefield and Julia Brown.

P E Tunstall and S M Brewton.

T M Moffet and L E Belott.

John Smith and Mary Tillis.

Richard Johnson and Fannie Mayberry.

Nick Jones and Laura Coleman.

Jim Patton and Amanda Williams.

Henry Williams and Martha Watson.

T S Kent and Nersey Fulgham.

George Clay and Mary Stubblefield.

James D Baker and Mary P Belham.

Ben Epps and Annie Smith.

Richard Brinkley and Paralee W Kelly.

John Bart and Jane Benton.

Harrison Brooks and Clarissa Toliver.

P J Holley and Lou Steele.

UPSHUR COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

D M Elder and Miss M A Smith.

W L Spencer and Miss Minnie E Mathews.

N A Dorch and Miss Sallie White.

W H Mathis and Miss Lula Carroll.

J W Victory and Miss Shepperd.

M F Down and Miss F A Childers.

J W Fleet and Miss G A Hoover.

T L Bullard and Miss L I Bouknight.

S H Davidson and Miss I Tisdale.

John A Coppendge and Miss E Smith.

R I Coppendge and Miss Ragsdale.

F M Hammock and Miss N J Samson.

Professor J W J Wade and Miss L Stewart.

M W Taylor and Mrs J C Brooks.

ROCKWALL COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

Frank A Tabor and Ellen Jones.

F M Baker and E C Adams.

J A Howard and Harriet J Hayes.

William Wickley and Sallie Thomas.

J H Keatey and O V Tuton.

R Cockrell and Lou Trammel.

A J Mason and Sarah Higgins.

J G Dewees and L F Sledge.

D S Warren and Lizzie Flowers.

TAYLOR COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

A M Nickell and Miss Mary M Reynolds.

Arthur W Burchard and Miss Alice C Van Tuyl.

HOWE COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE PAST TWO WEEKS, ENDING JANUARY 5.

Robert Boatright and Miss Jennie McCright.

John A Lawler and Miss Annie Hewitt.

J B Kizer and Miss Annie L Hiller.

Shack Boyd and Miss Sarah J Jones.

Elin Williams and Miss Mary Criner.

Littleton Jackson and Miss Esther Edwards.

J B Merchant and Miss Mary Mitchell.

J J Kirby and Miss Della Preston.

Sam Howard and Miss Avis Peacock.

Jeff D Norman and Miss Sarah J Collins.

BAYLOR COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

R A Tally and Miss May Bell Boon.

Jno F Danaron and Miss Susan V Wear.

T E Reese and Miss Ida B Wear.

Geo W Davenport and Miss Maggie Hoggard.

RAINS COUNTY—ISSUED FOR THE MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1882.

J N Dodd and Miss Cornelia Beard.

O B Corbit and Miss Maggie A Williams.

R C Robbins and Miss M E Ellison.

Frank Jones and Miss Emma Piereson.

M F Taylor and Miss F M Spradling.

B B Hart and Miss S A Bellah.

J C Jackson and Miss Adeline Fitzgerald.

THROCKMORTON COUNTY—ISSUED DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1882.

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Frank Cage and Mrs. A R Erwin.

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A M Ellis and Miss Elizabeth Lee.

W F Graves and Miss Thurza J Chapman.

William Edwards and Miss Fannie Green.

J H McAllister and Miss Julia Duke.

J W Cannon and Miss Adelia Gamblin.

J R McKee and L A Dorsey.

M Clark and S Rucker.

J Jordan and R Armstrong.

B P Carr and Mrs Anna Anderson.

C W Morehead and Mrs Emma Newmann.

J C Murphy and Ellen Neall.

A S Grace and Dora Tucker.

Peter Broom and Georgia Ann Smith.

E A Davis and Sallie Loving.

Henry Prince and Bertha H Levy.

John Williams and Laura Johnson.

T G Woolen and Carrie C Mansfield.

H McHenderson and R T A White.

A Hall and Bette Jackson.

Married.

Dr Chas A Shultz and Miss Bettie Rawlins, Lancaster, December 28.

F B Timmins and Miss Kate Greer, Kaufman, December 28.

Charles C Ayres and Miss Mollie Falls, Kaufman, December 31.

Died.

Mrs Martin McElrod, near Alvardo, December 25, 1882.

Odie, daughter of W D Chandler, Cisco, December 25.

Mrs Hogue, Cisco, December 27.

J Montgomery, Terrell, December 25.

Mother of Miss John R and Walter Wilson, Terrell, December 28.

John W Watkins, Kaufman, December 25.

The Year's Markets—Its Lessons.

The last year's clip of wool has nearly all been marketed, and from the best obtainable information amounted for the year to 28,500,000 pounds—a yield of 4½ pounds per sheep.

Of this amount there was marketed in this city in round numbers 9,000,000 pounds, or nearly one-third of the entire clip of the state.

The average price of wool over the state we estimate to be 2½ cents per pound, producing a revenue from sales of wool of 6,000,000, or nearly 33 per cent on the estimate value of the sheep, directly bearing the time.

The years market has been on the whole satisfactory, and producers have made fair profits; many lessons have been taught even to our best sheep owners, which we hope will be heeded in the future.

Something of a sensation was created here yesterday among stock men.

The facts are about as follows, the names of the parties I am pledged not to divulge: A gentleman who had been shipping sheep to this market during last year, landed here not many days since with a new importation, and after putting them with a flock he was

running not far from town, found he was possessed of 1400 head of good Spanish merino ewes, with some fine bucks.

He seemed to have become panicky, tender-footed, in fact, taken

with the I-want-to-homeless in its most malignant shape and that all at once, for two days after landing, he came to town and after deplored the condition of the grass, and picturing such a stock famine as has never existed, or never will, he offered the entire flock to me for \$2,000.

As I had just invested all my loose change in mining interest we didn't trade.

I remonstrated with him, told him there was no necessity why he should make such a sacrifice; but my remonstrance went unheeded and a buyer was not long wanting who snapped up the proposition, made a small payment with the agreement to pay the balance to-day and take possession to-day.

The seller pleads that he was non-compos mentis and proposes to vitiate the contract.

Thus it stands. Litigation may be the means of determining the matter.

## COLORADO CITY.

Wonderful Growth of a New Town—Matri- mos—Strange Action of a Stockman.

COLORADO CITY, Jan. 4, 1883.

New energy and enterprise is giving our city quite a cheerful appearance, and the new year has already witnessed the construction of a score or more houses of various dimensions and for various purposes.

In fact, they actually build houses here faster than they can ship paint to paint them with. A gentleman called my attention to three or four buildings to-day standing on ground that four or five days ago presented to the gaze only a bare hillside. Now the noise of young America resounds inside their walls.